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Examiner: Anne Marie M. Boehler

In Re PATENT APPLICATION of:

Applicants: Souichi IWASA et al.

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For: ELECTRIC POWER STEERING  
DEVICE

Atty. ref.: AI 423NP

**AMENDMENT**

January 18, 2012

## Mail Stop Amendment

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on October 18, 2011, please amend the above-identified application as follows: